

**RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER**

**DEC 07 2005**



**The Gates Corporation**  
1551 Wewatta Street  
Denver, CO 80202

**FAX COVER SHEET**

**Date:** 12/7/2005

**TO:** Examiner Saether

**FAX:** 571.273.8300

**From:** Jeffrey Thurnau  
Patent Counsel

**Phone:** (303) 744-4743  
**Fax:** (303) 744-4653

**Number of pages including cover sheet: 8**

**SERIAL NO.:** 10/606,315  
**DOCKET NO.:** 003-027A  
**FILED:** JUNE 25, 2003  
**TITLE:** CONNECTOR

**RESPONSE TO:** COMMUNICATION MAILED AUGUST 10, 2005

**ATTACHMENTS INCLUDE:** AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR  
EXTENSION OF TIME – 7 PAGES

**PLEASE NOTE:** The information contained in this facsimile is privileged and confidential and is intended only for the use of the individual named above and others who have been specifically authorized to receive it. If the one receiving it is not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution or copy of this communication is strictly prohibited. Thank you.